



Lesson 4: Mix it Up Bonus transcript © Syndee Rogers

In this quick bonus lesson I want to show you how easy it is to mix the pattern parts we've already created quickly to create even more variations. I filmed this video in Photoshop Elements, but the instructions or just the same in Adobe Photoshop unless where noted.

Now, as you can see here I've opened up my Multi Dot Overlay and made a duplicate copy, and closed the original. Now, in the Layers panel, double click on the Vertical Dots Pattern thumbnail and in the dialog box, change the scale to 50%.

Next, let's double-click on the Horizontal Dots Pattern thumbnail and open the Pattern Picker and choose the Plaid Stripe Thin Pattern. And then let's set the scale to 100%, then click OK. And just like that we have a Dot Striped overlay, so quick and so easy! OK. Now, let's do another variation, double-click on the Dots thumbnail again and change the scale to 25% and click OK. Now our Dots are resting on the Stripes.

And since we already have our Color Fill layers set up, it's so easy to change the color of the Pattern layers.

The Pattern tool is such a powerful tool in paper making, so many variations and options available. I really encourage you to play with all the patterns we've created and see what fun combinations you come up with.

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